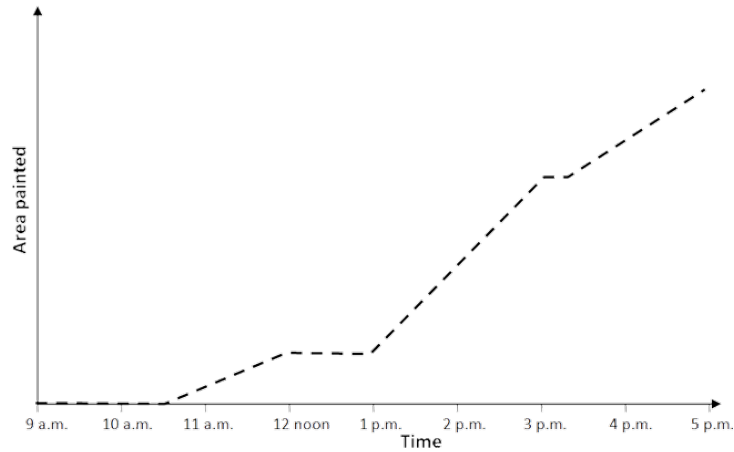


# A day's painting

**This task is about reading information off a graph.**

Hohepa spent a day in his holidays painting a concrete wall for his father. He started preparing at 9 a.m., and finished painting for the day at 5 p.m. The following graph shows his progress.

**Area of wall painted over the day**



Write a description of what happened over the day:

- pay particular attention to the slopes of the various parts of the graph line,
- estimate the times when these change, and
- write what you think Hohepa is doing at each stage.